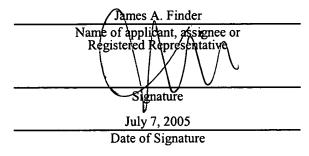
## **REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

An amendment is being made to improve the language of claim 30.

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